BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's Own Motion to Assess and Revise the New Regulatory Framework for Pacific Bell and Verizon California Incorporated.

Rulemaking 01-09-001 (Filed September 6, 2001)

Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion to Assess and Revise the New Regulatory Framework for Pacific Bell and Verizon California Incorporated.

Investigation 01-09-002 (Filed September 6, 2001)

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING SHORTENING THE TIME TO RESPOND TO TWO MOTIONS FILED BY PACIFIC BELL

In response to motions filed by Pacific Bell on May 1, 2002,¹ responses to the following motions must be filed and served by no later than 12 noon on May 6, 2002: (1) Pacific Bell Telephone Company's Emergency Motion to Modify the Phase 2 Schedule, and (2) Pacific Bell Telephone Company's Motion to Confirm the Right to Conduct Depositions.

This ruling is being made pursuant to Rule 45(h), which allows the assigned Administrative Law Judge to rule on a motion before responses or replies are filed.

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¹ See (1) Pacific Bell Telephone Company's Motion to Shorten Time to Respond to Pacific's Emergency Motion to Modify the Phase 2 Schedule, and (2) Pacific Bell Telephone Company's Motion to Shorten Time to Respond to Pacific's Motion to Confirm the Right to Conduct Depositions.

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Therefore, **IT IS RULED** that responses to the two motions identified above must be filed and served no later than 12 noon on May 6, 2002.

Dated May 2, 2002, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ TIMOTHY KENNEY
Timothy Kenney
Administrative Law Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have by mail this day served a true copy of the original attached Administrative Law Judge's Ruling Shortening the Time to Respond to Two Motions Filed by Pacific Bell on all parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record.

Dated May 2, 2002, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ KE HUANG
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